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Filirican Torres Suspicious Death Remains a Mystery; Family and Friends Gather for Victim's 27th Birthday

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers, working with the San Diego Police Department's Homicide Unit, continue to seek the public's assistance to help answer the questions surrounding the suspicious death of Filirican Torres.

On January 10, 2007, Filirican Torres was last seen at about 4:05 p.m. at the bus stop located at Fairmont Avenue and Redwood Street. It is unknown whether she got on the bus or was picked up at that time. Her intention was to ride the #13 bus to the Euclid Avenue Trolley stop. It is believed she was picked up at some point by an unknown person driving a 1992 Geo Metro (see attached picture.) Torres was struck by several vehicles at about 5:30 p.m. on Eastbound SR94 near Euclid Avenue. It is unknown whether she was pushed or fell from the vehicle.

At 1:00 p.m. today, Filirican Torres' family and friends will be available for media interviews in room 213 at the San Diego Police Department Headquarters, 1401 Broadway, San Diego.

*** A photo of Torres and the suspect vehicle is on page 2 of this release***

San Diego Police Department investigators are asking for anyone with information on the case to please call the Crime Stoppers anonymous tollfree tip line at (888) 580-8477. You can also send anonymous email or text messages to Crime Stoppers by visiting the following link http://www.sdcrimestoppers.com/. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to a felony arrest.

- The media is encouraged to stop by the front counter of the San Diego Police Department Headquarters (1401 Broadway) for access to room 213; family and friends will be available for interviews at 1:00 p.m. at that location.
- Media inquiries regarding Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe (619) 531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-TIPS.



Filirican Torres Victim



Suspect Vehicle: 1992 Geo Metro